GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA

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WLL SERVICE
JAI PRAKASH

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the connections issued and the capacity of the `WLL` telephone service of the MTNL as on September 30, 2001;

(b) whether the connections under `WLL` services have been issued according to its capacity ;

(c) if not , the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps being taken by the Government to tackle this situation?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) Status of Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) based Wireless in Local Loop (WLL) telephone service of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) as on September 30, 2001.

As on 30.09.2001	Delhi	Mumbai
Capacity	23, 500	50,000 (under installation)
Connection	18,555	

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) & (d): Do not arise.